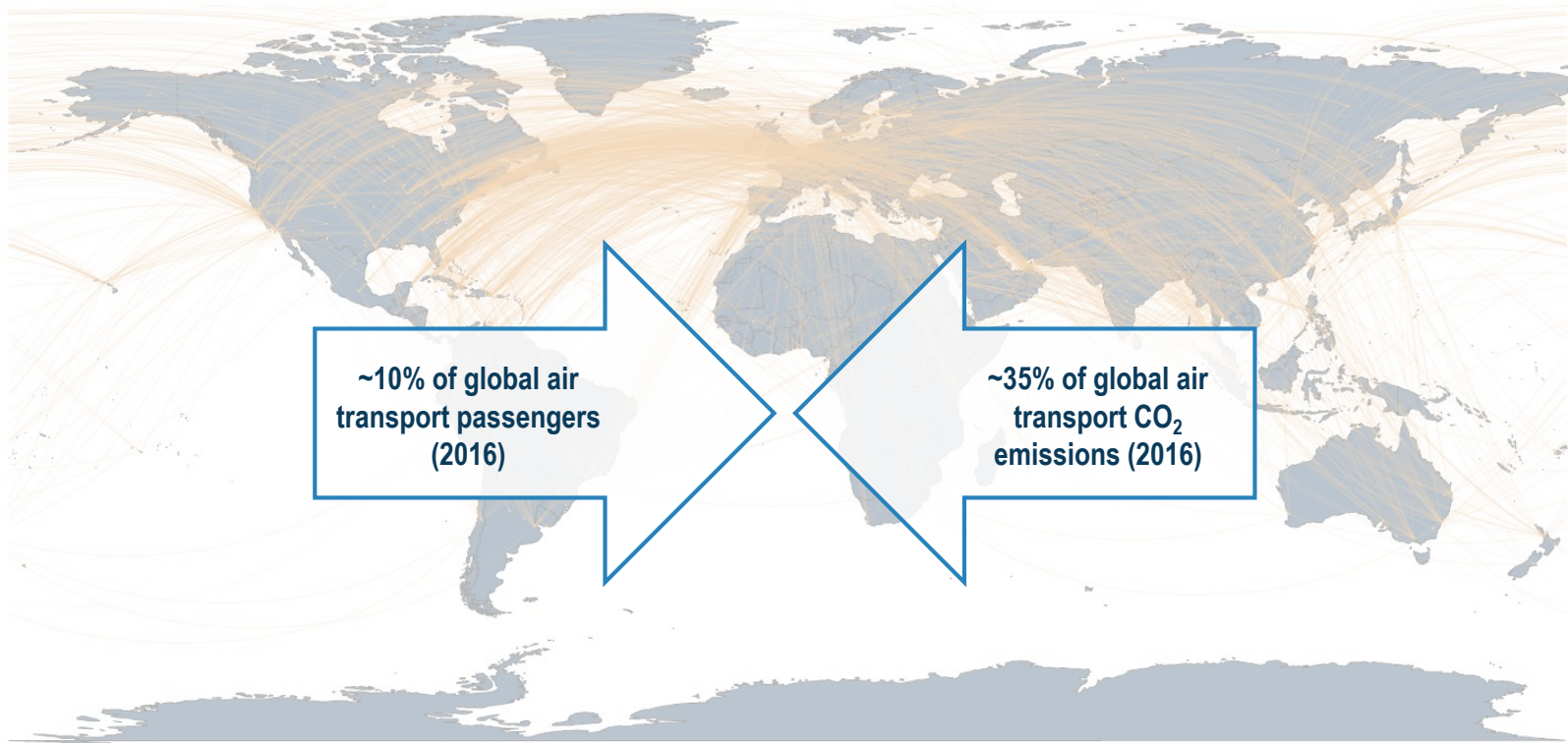


Emission reduction potential across the long-haul network

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The Long-haul Air Traffic Market



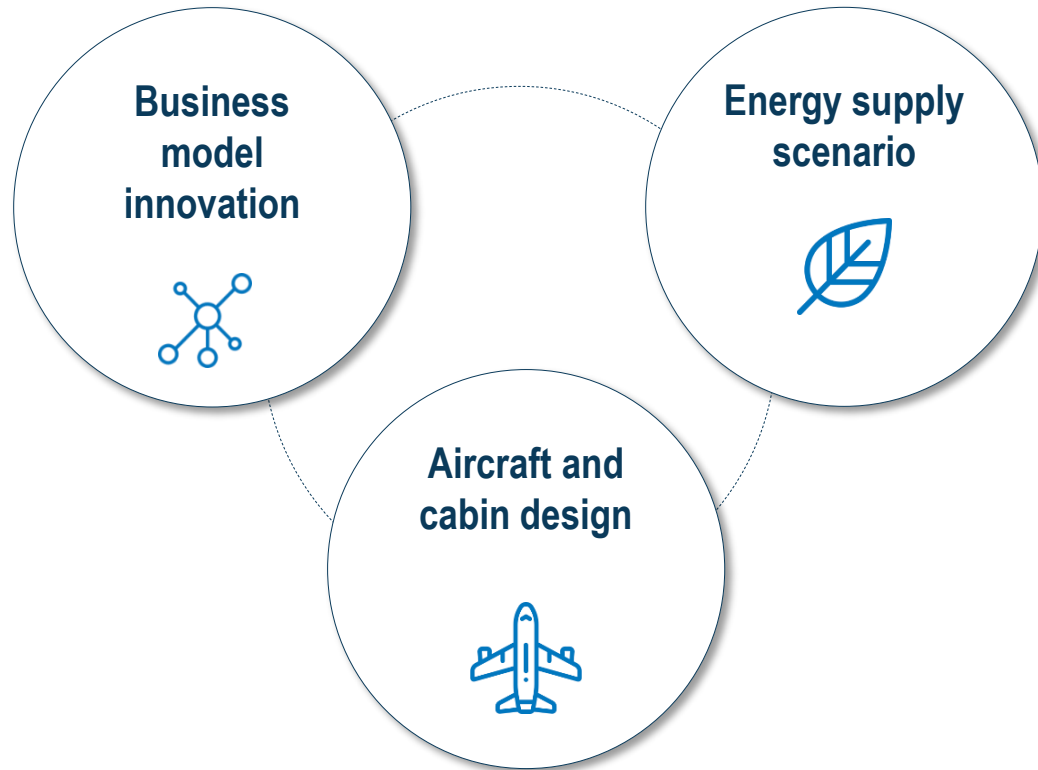
Source: OAG 2016, Eurocontrol Base of Aircraft Data (BADA)

Goal of Bauhaus Luftfahrt Group Design Project 2019

➤ The design of a

- long-haul traffic concept
- fulfilling emission reduction goals
- by incorporating measures to enhance both operational (on the air transport system level) and technical efficiency (on the aircraft level),
- keeping in mind passenger comfort and requirements.

Holistic Approach for Long-haul Network Emission Reduction



Re-thinking the Long-haul Network Structure

- Aircraft Sharing: Implementation of ShAirline business model
- Continuous connecting banks to reduce on-ground time
- Novel on-board services

Business model innovation



Energy supply scenario

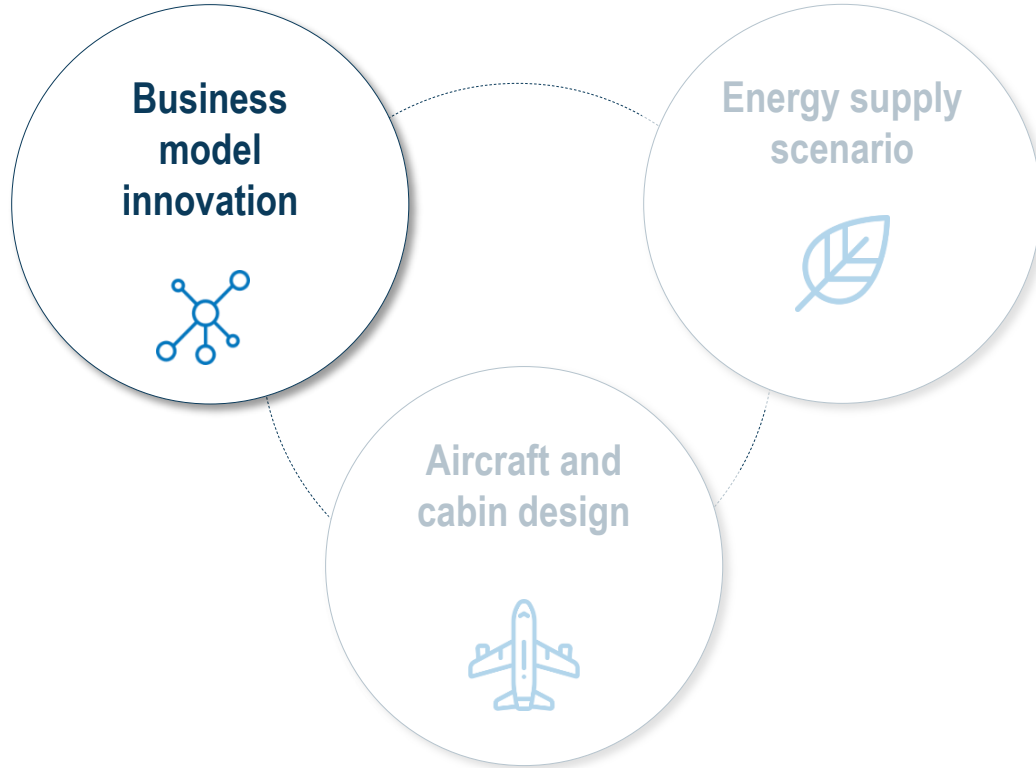


- Energy supply scenario with liquid hydrogen
- Realizing benefits from scalable and cost-efficient production

Aircraft and cabin design

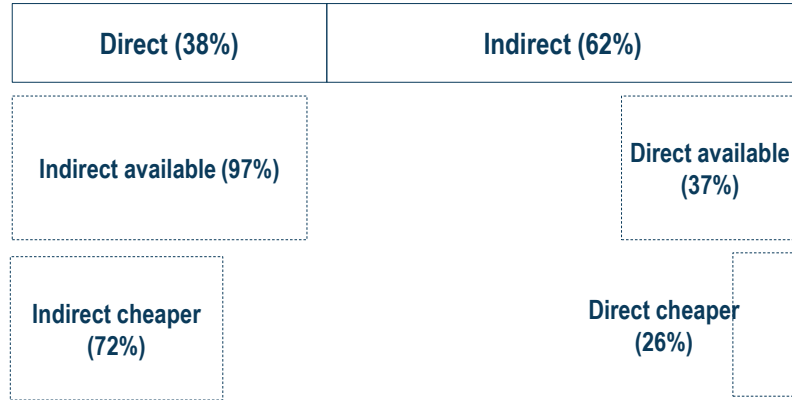


- Facilitating the integration of new energy sources
- Increasing passenger comfort
- Integration of new technologies



Inefficiencies on Long-haul Network

Distribution of passengers across direct and indirect flights

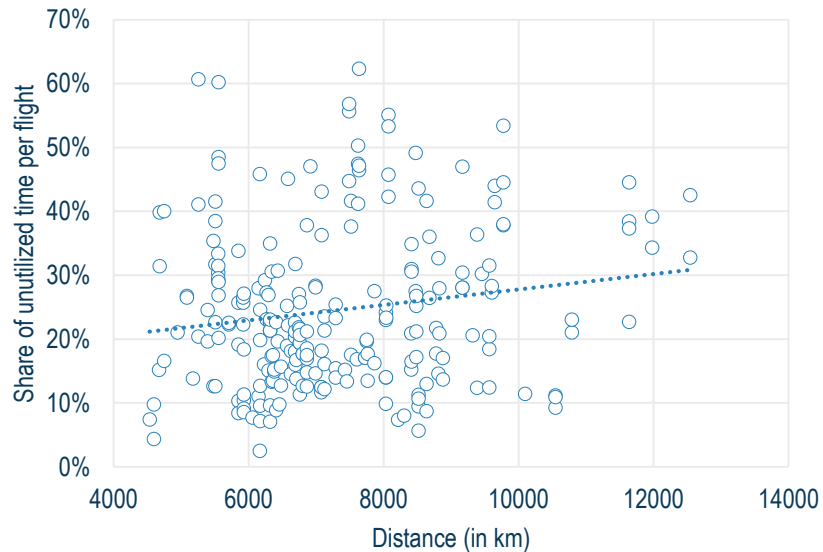


Majority of today's long-haul passengers travel on **indirect connections.**



Source: Sabre 2017

Inefficiencies on Long-haul Network



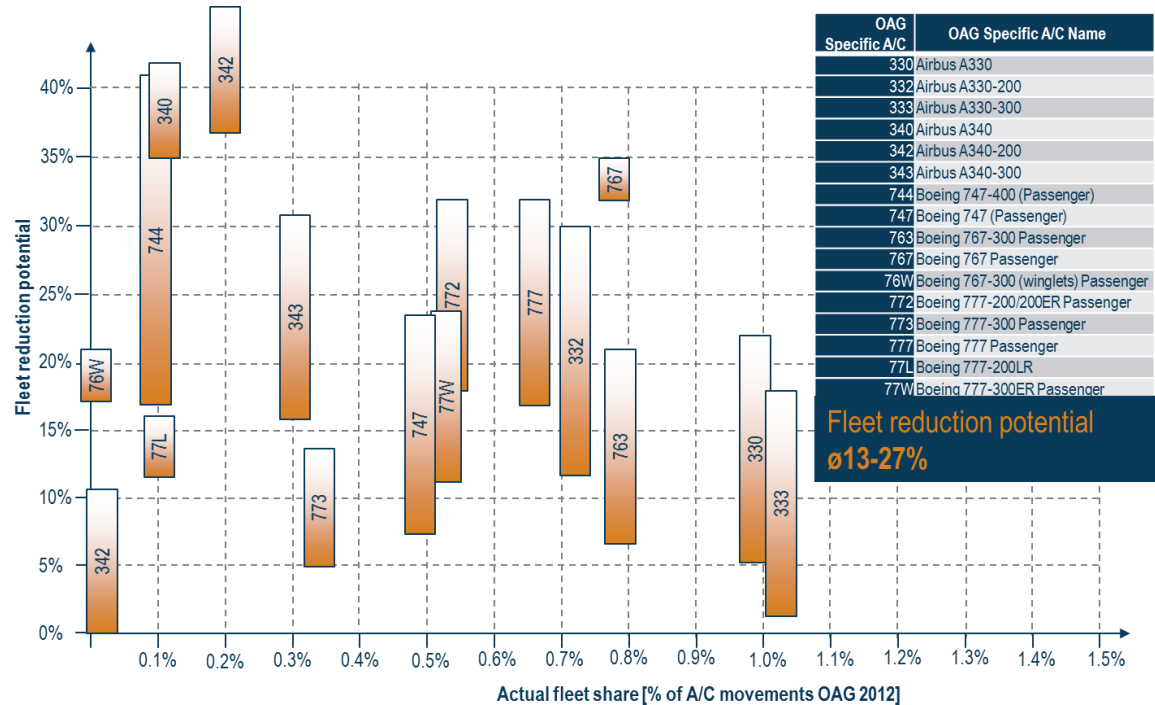
On average ~25% of unutilized on-ground time per long-haul flight (after maintenance and turnaround)

Source: FlightRadar 24



Aircraft Fleet Composition

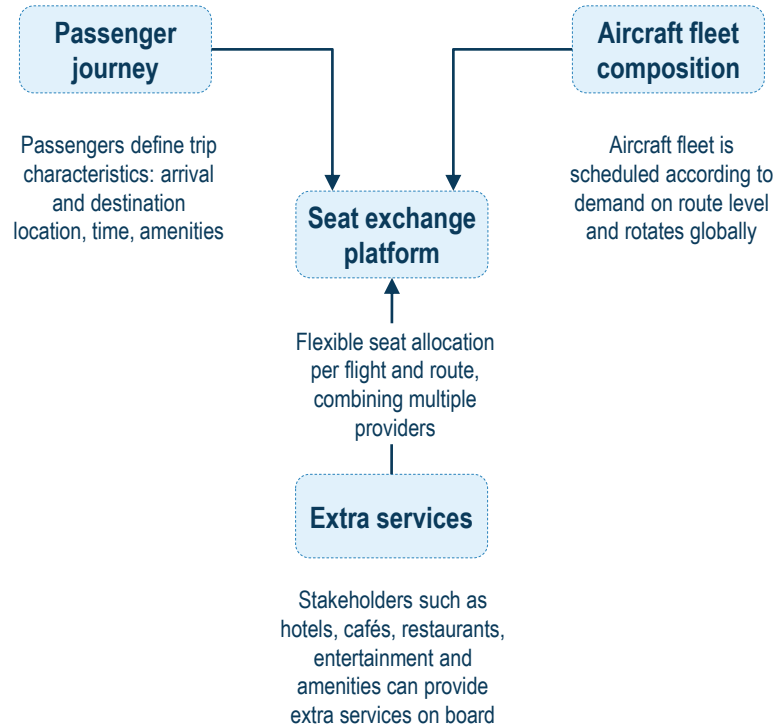
- ▶ Aircraft sharing as enabler for a more efficient network structure
- ▶ Fleet reduction potential: ~ 13 – 27%



Source: OAG 2012



Business Model Innovation



► Implementation of seat exchange platform

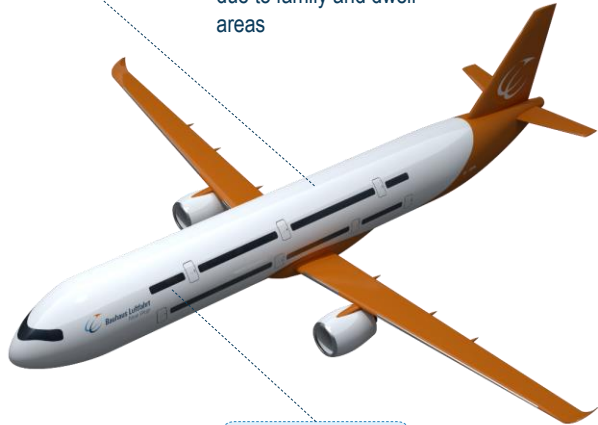
- Abandoning airline-aircraft ownership concept
- Renting out physical aircraft space to multiple providers “by the hour”
- Enabling flexible passenger assignment on route level
- Meeting fluctuations in demand



Seat Exchange Platform

Passenger journey

- 2-deck seating options with increased seat pitch
- Added value during flight due to family and dwell areas

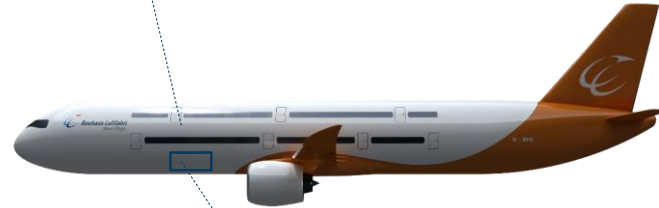


Seat exchange platform

- Lower entry barrier for new providers due to removal of airline lock-in effect
- Process optimization due to integrated data platform

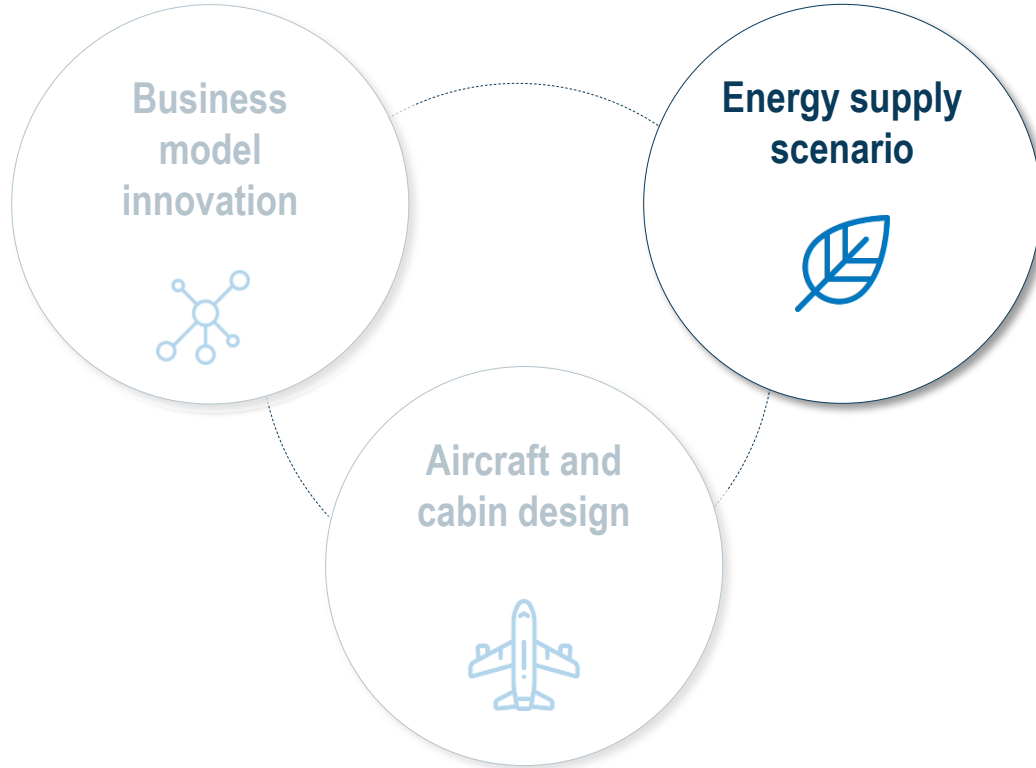
Aircraft fleet composition

- Customizable white label air transport (OEM)
- Potential for more efficient standardization
- Optimization of MRO cycles and economies of scale

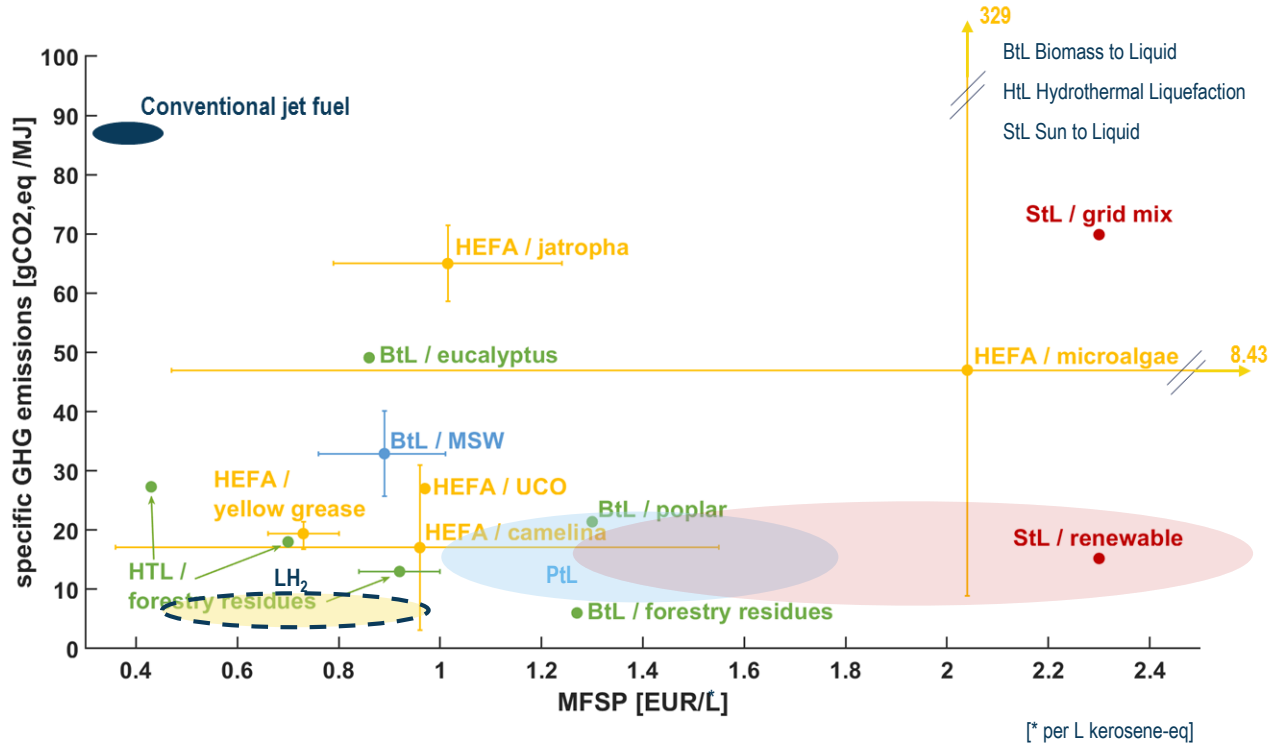


Extra services

- Lower deck containers providing additional passenger amenities
- Adjustment to flight duration and time of day

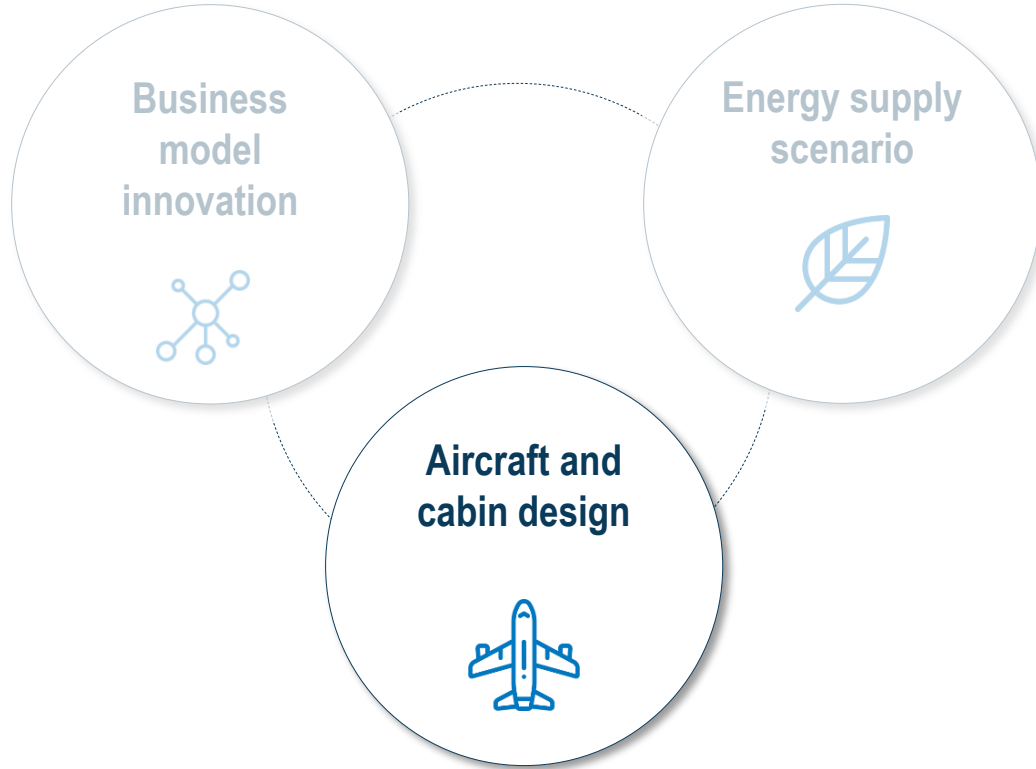


LH₂ vs. (Alternative) Fuels



BtL - Biomass to Liquid; HtL - Hydrothermal Liquefaction; StL - Sun to Liquid

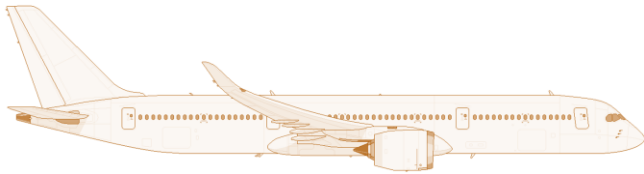
Source: Results from EU FP7 Project CORE-JetFuel, continuously updated according to BHL renewable fuel literature data base.





The Aircraft Platform

Existing Long Range Model

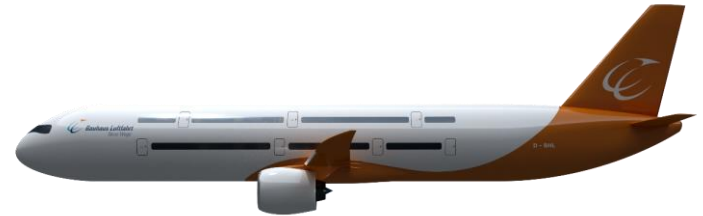


- High cruise Mach number → Reduction of block times
- High overall vehicular efficiency

- Flight Mach number ↓
- LH₂ as fuel



ShAirline Long Range Model



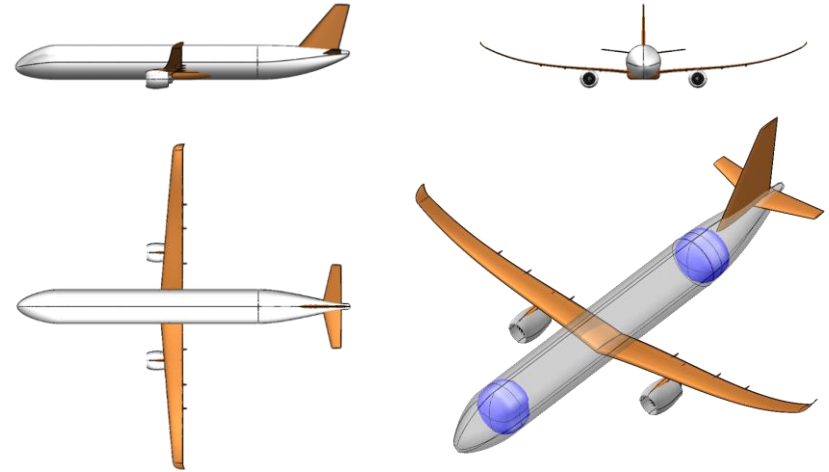
- Increased passenger comfort
- More direct flights
- Enable onboard service models

- Design cruise Mach number ~ 0.7
- Increased seat pitch + comfort/dwell areas
- LH₂ tanks (front & rear)
- Lower deck → service elements



Resulting Aircraft: 3-View & Key Performance Data

| | C004 | Conv. Ma 0.82 AC |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| MTOW | 196 t | 264 t |
| Wingspan | 81 m | 67 m |
| Wing Loading | 588 kg/m ² | 713 kg/m ² |
| Fuel Mass Design Mission | 18.6 t | 72.5 t |
| OEW | 128 t | 138 t |
| Total Installed Tank Volume | 371 m ³ | 128 m ³ |



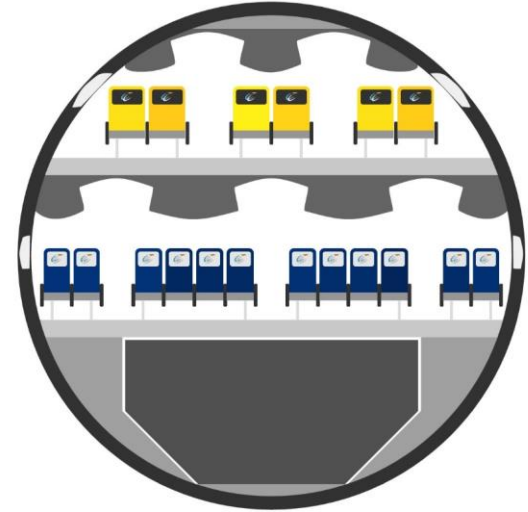
Source: Troeltsch (2019)



Aircraft Cabin Design

► Different areas for passengers

- Meeting and working areas
- Upper deck: 6 abreast with 2 aisles, 64" seat pitch
- Main deck: 12 abreast with 3 aisles, max. 1 person to pass, 36" seat pitch (+16%*)
- Cargo Deck: swappable containers, height 2.40m, accessible via staircase



► Integration of various service elements

- Hotels, restaurants, dwell areas
- Engagement of multiple service providers in renting out space

*compared to a Lufthansa A380



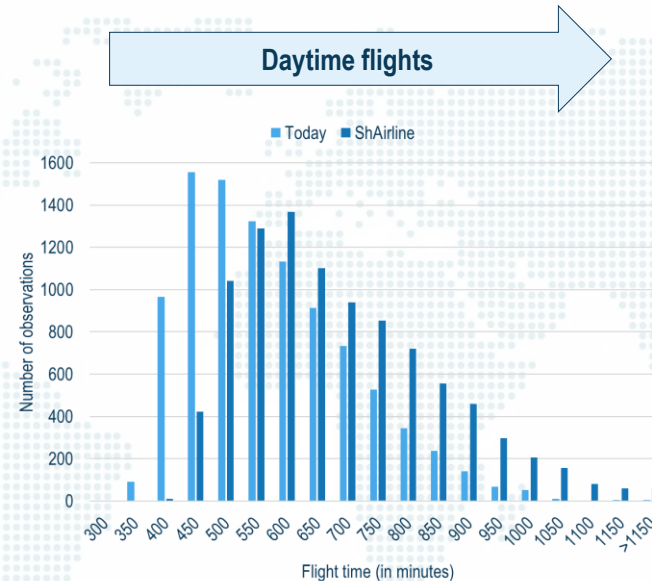
Passenger Journey

East-West-bound traffic (2016)

- Repr. Cluster: **28%** of flights on this market
- **12:12h – 15:59h** [weighted mean times]

North-South-bound traffic

- Repr. Cluster: **44%** of flights on this market
- **21:43h – 06:48h** [weighted mean times]



East-West-bound traffic (ShAirline)

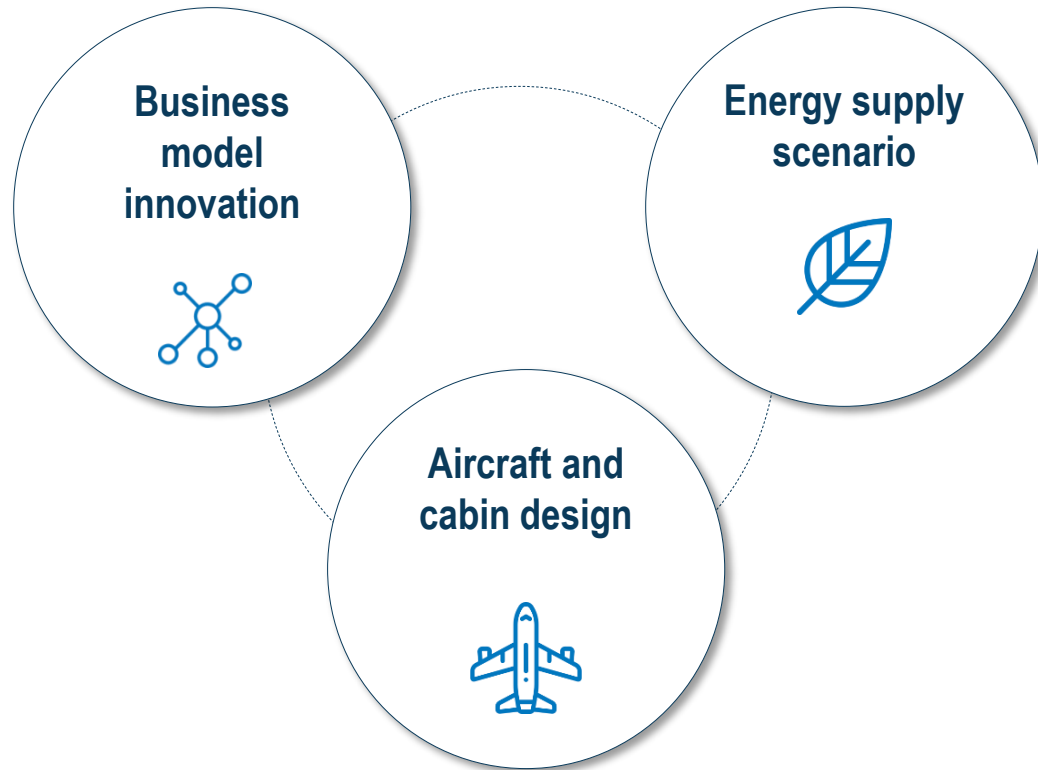
- Repr. Cluster: **26%** of flights on this market
- **12:04h – 17:35h** [weighted mean times]

North-South-bound traffic (ShAirline)

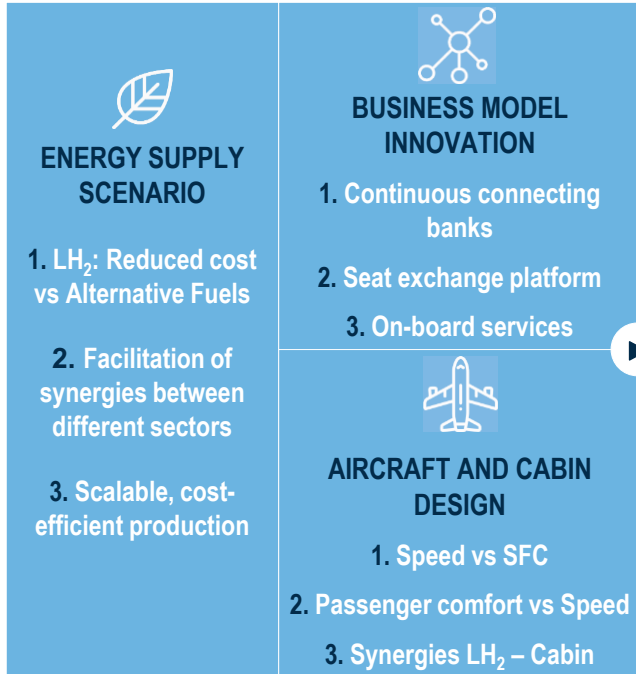
- Repr. Cluster: **42%** of flights on this market
- **21:49h – 08:30h** [weighted mean times]

Source: OAG 2016

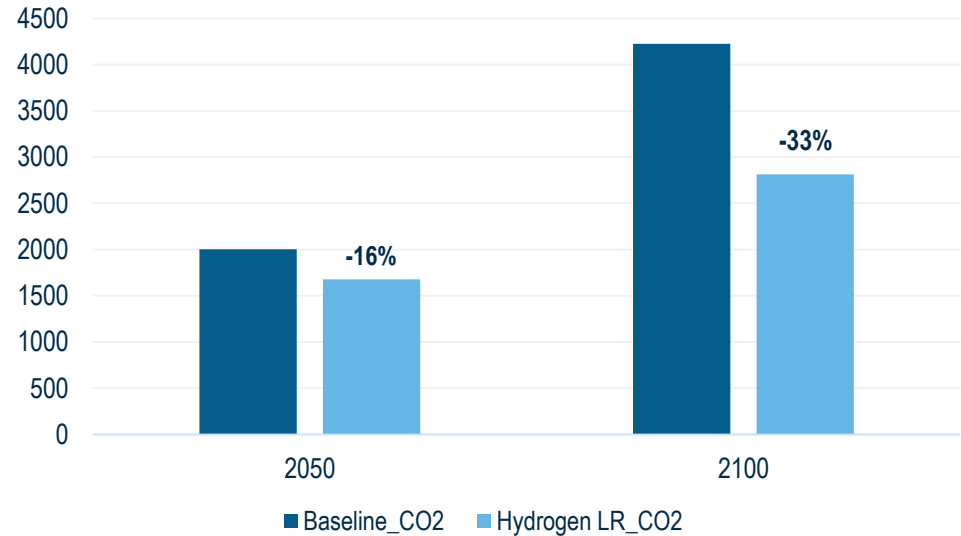
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Initial Emission Reduction Potential



Global fleet: CO₂ emissions (in Mt) for 2050 and 2100*



*Entry into service: 2040+

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